

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 3206 - HB 3450

February 15, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes teachers to take leave for up to 10 days to visit a sibling deployed for military duty outside of the country who has returned for rest and recuperation (R&R) leave.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Expenditures – Not Significant

Decrease Local Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- According to the Jackson-Madison County School System, since the passage of the original legislation in 2008, only one teacher has utilized unpaid leave to visit a spouse, parent, or child who is home on leave.
- Pay for a substitute teacher is approximately \$75 per day. The number of teachers who will take the leave to visit a sibling home on leave is estimated to be not significant. Any decrease in state or local expenditures as a result of not paying regular teacher salaries is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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